

What is claimed is:

1. An image display method for displaying two or more images of an identical object to be compared, wherein

the two or more images are displayed together in a row
5 or a column with positions of a structural feature area of the identical object in the two or more images aligned horizontally or vertically.

2. An image display method according to Claim 1,
wherein each of the two or more images of the identical
10 object to be compared is a radiation image for medical use.

3. An image display method according to Claim 2,
wherein each of the two or more images of the identical
object to be compared is an original image.

4. An image display method according to Claim 3,
15 wherein the two or more original images are taken at different points in time.

5. An image display method according to Claim 2,
wherein the two or more images of the identical object to be
compared include at least one of a plurality of original
20 images and a subtraction image, which is derived by matching positions of two images selected out of said plurality of original images and taking a differential between the selected two images.

6. An image display method according to Claim 5,
25 wherein said plurality of original images are taken at different points in time.

~~7. An image display method according to any one of Claims 1-6, wherein each of the two or more images is added onto an image display one by one.~~

8. An image display apparatus for displaying two or more images of an identical object to be compared, comprising

image display means for displaying the two or more images thereon and

position matching means for arranging the two or more images in a row or a column so that positions of a structural feature area of the identical object in the two or more images are aligned horizontally or vertically

9. An image display apparatus according to Claim 8, wherein each of the two or more images of the identical object to be compared is a radiation image for medical use.

10. An image display apparatus according to Claim 9, wherein each of the two or more images of the identical object to be compared is an original image.

11. An image display apparatus according to Claim 10, wherein the two or more original images are taken at different points in time.

12. An image display apparatus according to Claim 9, wherein the two or more images of the identical object to be compared include at least one of a plurality of original images and a subtraction image, which is derived by matching positions of two images selected out of said plurality of

original images and taking a differential between the selected two images.

13. An image display apparatus according to Claim 12, wherein said plurality of original images are taken at 5 different points in time.

14. An image display apparatus according to any one of Claims 8-13, wherein the image display means adds each of the two or more images onto an image display one by one.